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Ms. Jocelyn Boyd, Chief Clerk  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
101 Executive Center Dr.  
Suite 100  
Columbia, SC 29210

**RE: Birch Communications, LLC  
Request for Company Name Change**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The original and five (5) copies of this letter are submitted on behalf of Birch Communications, LLC ("Company") to notify the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") that the Company is changing its name to Fusion Cloud Services, LLC effective April 1, 2019. The Company was granted authority to provide local and interexchange telecommunications services in Docket 1999-323-C.

Enclosed as Exhibit A is a copy of the documentation evidencing the change in Company name on file with the South Carolina Secretary of State.

A notice of change in Company name will be provided to South Carolina customers via a bill message. This change in corporate name will have no effect on the services offered to the Company's South Carolina customers. Because customers are being notified individually of the name change, the Company requests a waiver of publication requirements.

Also enclosed as Exhibit B are amended tariff title pages reflecting the change in Company name. Upon approval of this name change, the Company will submit replacement tariffs to reflect the new name.

An updated Authorized Utility Representative Form reflecting the new name will be submitted under separate cover.

The Company respectfully requests the Commission approve the change in Company name to Fusion Cloud Services, LLC effective April 1, 2019 and update all Commission records to reflect the new name.

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Notification of Company Name Change  
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Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3031 or via email to [stthomas@inteserra.com](mailto:stthomas@inteserra.com). Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Sharon Thomas  
Consultant

cc: P. Hintz – Fusion (via Email)  
tms: SCI1901  
Enclosures  
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**Exhibit A**  
**South Carolina Secretary of State Documentation**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
SECRETARY OF STATE

APPLICATION FOR AN AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY  
BY A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY  
TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN  
SOUTH CAROLINA

The foreign limited liability company, by a person with authority to do so under the laws of the State or other jurisdiction of its formation, hereby applies for an amended certificate of authority to transact business in South Carolina according to the provisions of Section 33-44-1002 and Sections 33-44-204 of the 1976 S.C. Code of Laws, as amended:

1. The name of the foreign limited liability company as filed on the application for the certificate of authority to transact business in South Carolina is:

Birch Communications, LLC

2. The date the original application for a certificate of authority to transact business in South Carolina was filed with the South Carolina Secretary of State is 05/28/2017

3. The name of the State or Country under whose law the company is organized is:  
Georgia

(State or Country)

4. The street address of the company's principal office is:

420 Lexington Avenue, Suite 1718

(Street Address)

New York, NY 10170

(City, State, Zip Code)

5. The address of the company's current designated office in South Carolina is:

317 Ruth Vista Road

(Street Address)

Lexington, SC 29073

(City, State, Zip Code)

6. The name of the company's current agent for service of process in South Carolina is:  
Registered Agent Solutions, Inc.

(Name)

and the street address of the agent for service of process in South Carolina is

317 Ruth Vista Road

(Street Address)

Form Revised by South Carolina Secretary of State, April 2016  
P0039

SC Secretary of State  
Mark Hammond

Birch Communications, LLC

Name of Company

Lexington, SC 29073

(City, State, Zip Code)

7. ☐ Check this box if the company's duration is only for a specified period. Describe the specified period:

8. ☒ Check this box if the company is manager-managed. If so, list the name and business address of each manager.

a. KEVIN M. DOTT  
(Name)

c/o Fusion, 400 Lexington Avenue, Suite 171F  
(Business Address)  
New York, New York 10170  
(City, State, Zip Code)

b. THOMAS P. BREWSTER, JR.  
(Name)

c/o Fusion, 400 Lexington Avenue, Suite 171F  
(Business Address)  
New York, New York 10170  
(City, State, Zip Code)

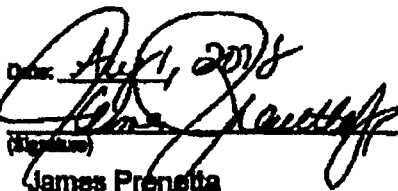
9. ☐ Check this box if one or more members of the foreign limited liability company are to be liable for the company's debts and obligations under a provision similar to Section 33-44-305(c) of the 1976 S.C. Code of Laws, as amended.

10. The limited liability company adopts the following amendment(s):

\* The name of the foreign limited liability company which complies with Section 33-44-305(c) of the 1976 S.C. Code of Laws, as amended is: Fusion Cloud Services, LLC

Birch Communications, LLC

Name of Company

Date: Aug 1, 2018  


(Signature)

James Prenatta

(Print Name)

Manager

(Capacity)

Control Number : K616805

# STATE OF GEORGIA

## Secretary of State

Corporations Division  
313 West Tower  
2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

### CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT NAME CHANGE

I, Brian P. Kemp, the Secretary of State and the Corporation Commissioner of the State of Georgia, hereby certify under the seal of my office that

**Birch Communications, LLC**  
a Domestic Limited Liability Company

has filed articles/certificate of amendment in the Office of the Secretary of State on 08/06/2018 changing its name to

**Fusion Cloud Services, LLC**  
a Domestic Limited Liability Company

and has paid the required fees as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. Attached hereto is a true and correct copy of said articles/ certificate of amendment.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta  
and the State of Georgia on 08/08/2018.



Brian P. Kemp  
Secretary of State



Brian P. Kemp  
Secretary of State

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE  
CORPORATIONS DIVISION  
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Atlanta, Georgia 30334  
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## Articles of Amendment to Articles of Organization

### Article One

The name of the limited liability company ("company") is:

Birch Communications, LLC

### Article Two

The date the articles of organization were filed was: 05/28/1996

### Article Three

The company hereby adopts the following amendment to change the name of the company. The new name of the company is:

Fusion Cloud Services, LLC

### Article Four

(Check, and if applicable complete, one of the following)

☒ The articles of amendment shall be effective upon the filing with the Secretary of State.

☐ The articles of amendment shall be effective on: \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) (Time)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Amendment on

Aug 1, 2018  
(Date)

[Signature]  
Signature

James Prenetta

Print Name

Capacity (choose one option only): ☐ Organizer  
☐ Member  
☒ Manager  
☐ Court-Appointed Fiduciary  
☐ Attorney-in-fact

Email Address: jprentta@fusionconnect.com

Form CD 115  
Rev. 4/2016



Exhibit B  
Revised Tariff Title Pages

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LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE TARIFF

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Fusion Cloud Services, LLC  
420 Lexington Ave., Suite 1718  
New York, NY 10170

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END USER COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES TARIFF

Regulations and Schedule of Intrastate Rates  
and Charges Applying to Competitive End User Communications  
Services For Business Customers (Including Basic Local Exchange  
and Miscellaneous Services) Within the State of South Carolina.

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 LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE TARIFF
 

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## CHECK SHEET

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INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE TARIFF

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SOUTH CAROLINA

INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS TARIFF

FOR

**Fusion Cloud Services, LLC**

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This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and rates applicable to the furnishing of interexchange telecommunications services provided by Fusion Cloud Services, LLC within the State of South Carolina. This tariff is on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission. Copies may be inspected during normal business hours at the Company's principal place of business.

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ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF

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TITLE PAGE

Access Services Tariff

OF

Fusion Cloud Services, LLC (T)

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and rates applicable to the furnishing of service and facilities for telecommunications services provided by Fusion Cloud Services, LLC. This tariff is on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission (SCPSC). Copies may be inspected during normal business hours at the Company's place of business at 420 Lexington Ave., Suite 1718, New York, NY 10170. (T)

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